

**REMARKS**

Applicant received a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, dated February 24, 2010, indicating that the claim listing did not show any brackets/underlining regarding the amendments made to the claims. Accordingly, Applicant submits herewith another copy of the claim listing correctly showing the brackets/underlining.

As instructed in the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, this Response contains only that portion of the November 24, 2009 Amendment that was indicated as being in non-compliance (i.e., the claim Amendment Section).

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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